

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

SONITHA SCALES, ALICIA THOMAS,)
STEPHEN MCNUTT, JEFF PORTER, & PAUL)
SIMONE, *individually, and on behalf*)
of all other similarly situated individuals,)

Plaintiffs,)

v.)

JAY MCGRAW; ERIC WELCH;)
CREDITSERVE, INC.; MINTO FINANCIAL)
d/b/a MINTO MONEY; and JOHN DOES 1-10,)

Defendants.)

Case No.: 1:24-cv-11575

Judge Manish S. Shah
Magistrate Judge M. David Weisman

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT & REQUEST TO STAY DEADLINES

Plaintiffs, Sonitha Scales, Alicia Thomas, Stephen McNutt, Jeff Porter, and Paul Simone, and Defendants, Jay McGraw, CreditServe, Inc., Eric Welch, and Minto Financial d/b/a Minto Money, submit this notice to inform the Court that the parties have settled this matter in principle. The parties respectfully request that the Court stay all deadlines for forty-five days while they negotiate a written settlement agreement.

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Respectfully submitted,

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